

CHINTAMANI TOWN MUNICIPALITY.

Special bye-laws framed by the Chintamani Town Municipal Council regarding the resumption of the vacant sites with incomplete structures thereon if any, in the Krishnarajpete Extension that are lying over unbuilt.

Any inhabitant of the Municipal area objecting to the proposed bye-laws may within one month from the date of this notice send his objection in writing to the Municipal Office. Objections received after the expiry of the said one month shall be rejected.

Any grantee, alienee or any person in possession of any vacant site in the town extension shall, on a written notice to him from the Municipality construct a house thereon within six months from the date of service of notice on him by obtaining license from the Municipality on this behalf.

Failure to comply with the terms of the said notice will render such sites being resumed by the Municipality and by such resumption, the Municipal Council of Chintamani shall not be held responsible or liable for the payment of any compensation, damages or costs of any sort that may be claimed by grantees, alienees or persons in possession of the said vacant sites at the time of these bye-laws coming into force. The date or dates of such resumption of the site or sites shall be published by the Municipality in the Gazette and also by proclamation in the town of Chintamani.

From the date of the said publication and onwards, the sites so resumed shall become the sole property of the Municipality free from all sorts of encumbrances.

Such resumption shall not prevent the Municipality from recovering any arrears of mohatarfa tax assessed on the site or sites resumed by the Municipality accrued up to the date of resumption.

The arrears of Municipal mohatarfa tax due on such site or sites shall be received from the original grantee, alienee or any person in possession of any such site or sites as arrears of Municipal revenue.

R. PUTTAMADAPPA,
President.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIRST ORDINARY MEETING OF THE HASSAN DISTRICT BOARD,
HELD ON 6TH AND 7TH SEPTEMBER 1924.

Present.

N. S. Nanjundiah, Esq., President, District Board, Hassan.
H. V. Rangaswami, Esq., B.A., LL.B., Vice-President.

Ex-officio Members—5. | Non-official Members—26. | Absent—6.

*Present on 6th September 24 only.

Read letters from Revd. Father Meyniel, Messrs. G. Ahamed Pacha Sahib, Hirihase and Khaji Abdul Khader, explaining reasons for absence.

Resolution.—Recorded.

The President also announced the Dewan's Tour Programme so far as it related to his passing through this district on 28th September 1924.

1. Administration Report of the Hassan District Board, for the year 1923-24.

Resolution.—The report is adopted and may be forwarded.

The Board desire to record their high sense of the devotional duty, enthusiasm, and unflagging zeal of the President in the work of the Board.

2. Local and Legislative Secretary's letter No. L. 614, dated 24th July 1924, stating that the grant of motor car advance to the President and the Vice-President of the District Board requires an amendment of the Local Boards and Village Panchayats Regulation and that as regards the change in the rate of travelling allowance, it will be considered in connection with the preparation of the Local Funds Account Manual.

Resolution.—Deferred.

3. Government Order No. E. 601-4—Edn. 31-22-30, dated 9th August 1924, passing orders on the proposals for the utilisation of the Education Cess in the Hassan District.

(b) Copy of docket from the Inspector General of Education, (No. D1 Dis. 57, dated 19th August 1924), forwarding the list of schools for giving effect to the several developments, etc.

Resolution.—The proposal of the Government for making the expenses of the Middle Schools an annual recurring charge on the Education Cess Funds is not admissible, and the whole subject may be referred to the Education Special Committee for detailed proposals taking into consideration the connected Gov-

4. Government Order No. L. 673-95—Ml. 79-24.1, dated 26th July 1924, passing orders that a single committee for each local body to deal with Economic Development work is sufficient.

Resolution.—Recorded.

The order appears to be inconsistent with the imperative provisions of Section 17A (i) of the Local Boards and Village Panchayets Regulation of 1918, as amended by Regulation III of 1921.

5. Local and Legislative Secretary's letter No. 727-32—L. B. 13-23—R. dated 26th July 1924, intimating that action may be taken to frame bye-laws for the levy of tolls on motor cars plying for hire on District Fund roads under Section 38 (g) of the Local Boards and Village Panchayets Regulation.

Resolution.—An Ad Hoc Committee consisting of:—

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| 1. Mr. N. S. Nanjundiah | 4. Mr. E. W. Rutherford |
| 2. " H. V. Rangaswami | 5. The Executive Engineer |
| 3. " S. Venkatesaiya | 6. The Hassan Sub-Division Officer |

with Mr. N. S. Nanjundiah, as convenor, is appointed to prepare a draft of the required bye-laws and place it before the Board at the next meeting.

6. Local and Legislative Secretary's letter No. 854, dated 29th July 1924, stating that a provision of Rs. 100 per year would be sufficient in the Hassan District for extending the arrangement for the treatment of persons bitten by rabid animals, to the District Hospital at Hassan and forwarding a copy of the Senior Surgeon's un-official note No. 38, dated 3rd July 1924, in this connection.

Resolution.—Recorded.

Due provision has been made in the Budgets of the Taluk Boards in the district.

7. Local and Legislative Secretary's letter No. L. 834, dated 29th July 1924, declining sanction to the entertainment of an additional Sanitary Inspector or a Well Overseer on Rs. 85 plus Rs. 10 per mensem in each of the taluks of Hassan, Arsikere and Channarayana and directing that the services of M. Singraiengar, Well Overseer, may be dispensed with.

Resolution.—Government will be requested to reconsider the matter, having regard to the imperative necessity that exists for the entertainment of extra staff on account of well works, etc.

As regards Singraiengar, whose services have since been dispensed with, Government will be requested to accord sanction for the disbursement of his pay for the period during which he worked.

8. Local and Legislative Secretary's letter No. 853, dated 29th July 1924, intimating that there is no need for entertaining an additional Clerk on Rs. 50 in the District Board Office for work connected with the levy of Education Cess in the district, until all the work of Economic Development and Malnad Improvement is in full swing and that the application may be renewed after some experience is gained.

Resolution.—The Board re-affirm that an additional hand is absolutely necessary, and Government may be requested to reconsider their order and sanction the proposal already made by the Board.

9. Local and Legislative Secretary's letter No. L. 598, dated 23rd July 1924, requesting to furnish the views of the District Board as to the extent to which the existing rules relating to the registration of vital statistics issued under Government Order No. 666-71—San. 71-15-3, dated 10th March 1916, might be adopted and what modifications if any, are required in them.

Resolution.—The question of collecting correct statistics is of vital importance.

A committee consisting of the following members with power to add or co-opt others is appointed to consider the question in all its aspects and furnish their report before the next meeting of the Board:—

1. The District Medical Officer, (convenor).
2. The Assistant Commissioner, Hassan Sub-Division.
3. Mr. Anantaramiengar.
4. " S. Venkatesaiya.
5. " H. Govindasetti.

10. Local and Legislative Secretary's letter No. L. 479, dated 22nd July 1924, stating that Government cannot consult the District Board before amending the Local Boards and Village Panchayets Regulation, since it is expected that the members of the Representative Assembly and the Legislative Council will voice the opinion of the District Boards.

Resolution.—The Board would reiterate its resolution in the matter, as the request is but a legitimate one, and it is the Boards that are most concerned in any change that may be effected in the existing law defining their powers and responsibilities and they have better opportunities of giving considered suggestions based on practical experience, just as Local Governments are often consulted and their opinions ascertained in respect of important Legislative measures.

11. Local and Legislative Secretary's letter No. L. 4046-47—L. B. 103-2342, dated 29th November 1923, *re* furnishing the resolution of the District Board about the revision of the rates of Mohatarfa taxes in the State.

Resolution.—The opinions of the Revenue Commissioner, the eight Deputy Commissioners and the eight Taluk Boards were read. The matter may be considered by the Finance Committee and then brought up before the Board at its next meeting.

12. Local and Legislative Secretary's letter No. 1599—Med. 5-23-99, dated 25th August 1924, stating that the resolution of the District Board is necessary about the stopping of grant to Vydyan Doddaiacharya.

Resolution.—The Board approve of the stopping of the grant to the Vydyan Doddaiacharya.

13. Chief Engineer's D. O. No. 655, dated 26th August 1924, asking for suggestions about funds for the construction of the bridge across the river Hemavati near Gorur, as Government have provided only Rs. 25,000 for the year in the State Budget.

Resolution.—The Government must be requested to find funds for their obligations and enable the completion of the work in the course of the year.

The attention of Government may also be invited to the fact that the Board is meanwhile paying interest to Debenture holders.

14. Letter No. 348-52, dated 19th August—4th September 1924, from the Inspector-General of Education, forwarding a programme of school buildings proposed to be taken up for construction during this year out of the realisations from Education Cess in the Hassan District.

Resolution.—This will be referred to the Education Special Sub-Committee for disposal.

15. Letter No. 246-74, dated 10th May 1924, from the Superintendent of Sericulture in Mysore, forwarding for being placed before the District Board a note prepared by him showing the manner in which Local Boards might promote the development of sericulture within their jurisdictions.

Resolution.—The question may be considered at the next meeting. Mr. Ramd Rao, being also invited to kindly attend the same.

16. Letter No. 9-15, dated 1st November 1923, from the Secretary, Local-Self Government in the matter of furnishing the opinion of the Board *re* discouraging the rearing of pigs in villages.

Resolution.—The three proposals were separately dealt with and put to vote after a free discussion.

1. *Re* the necessity for a license—9 voted for and 4 against the proposal to require the obtaining of a license for rearing pigs; the others were neutral.

2. *Re* the levy of the cess. There was no member in favour of this proposal.

3. *Re* power being granted for the pigs being destroyed when they trespass into a house or lands. Seven were in favour and 4 against, the rest being neutral.

17. (a) Letter No. T. P. C. 24, dated 21st July 1924, from the Traffic Manager, Mysore Railways, confirming the telegrams sent to the Deputy Commissioner, and the President, District Board, Hassan, *re* the continuance of the running of the two trains (Passenger) between Arsikere and Mysore.

(b) Deputy Commissioner's R. O. C. No. 298-24, dated 3rd September 1924, forwarding copy of letter No. R. S. 4229, dated 27th August 1924, from the Secretary to Government, Mysore Railways, *re* the opening of a Flag Station at Hole-Narsipur and two train services between Arsikere and Mysore.

Resolution.—The Board wish to point out that there must be due certainty about the running of the two trains without which traffic is not likely to improve. The Board are glad to learn that definite action has been taken to open the Flag Station near Hole-Narsipur Town.

Note.—The members loudly complain that necessary facilities for increasing goods traffic do not really exist at present, that the timings of the trains are not conducive to the increase in passenger traffic, and that the Railway authorities must look into the actual working of the Department with a view to affording requisite conveniences; and guarantee the continuance of the same.

18. Letter No. R. S. 130, dated 17th July 1924, from the Railway Secretary, *re* the continuance of the Flag Station at Kowsika till the end of September 1924.

Resolution.—The station at Kowsika must be continued and it will be most regrettable if at the present season or in the near future, such as Dasara, harvest and marriage seasons, the station in question should be closed.

19. Sanitary Commissioner's letter No. C. 942-3, dated 24th July 1924, calling for the opinion of the District Board, *re* the desirability of nominating the Chief Sanitary Inspector as a member of the District Board.

Resolution.—The Board consider that the proposal is not a desirable one.

20. Senior Surgeon's letter No. C. 2123-6, dated 24th July 1924, forwarding for information copy of his un-official note No. 39, dated 23rd July 1924, submitted to Government re the initial equipment and subsequent maintenance of the proposed Maternity at Saklespur.

Resolution.—In view of the prevailing Malnad conditions, the Board are of opinion that the Maternity at Saklespur may be maintained as a Government Institution. The opening of this important institution must be expedited without further loss of time, as the construction of the building is already completed.

21. Hassan District Deputy Commissioner's Circular No. 1, dated 28th June 1924, to all the Amildars and the Deputy Amildar of Alur Sub-Taluk, asking them to co-operate with the President, District Board in the matter of planting trees in villages and roads.

Resolution.—The plants, about 5,000 in number will be distributed among the several taluks as per requirements.

22. (a) Deputy Commissioner's Memo No. R. Dis. 1, dated 11th July 1924, forwarding for information copy of G. O. No. P. D. 4951, dated 5th July 1924, sanctioning the acquisition of certain lands in the Hole-Narsipur and Channarayapatna Taluks, for opening the District Fund road, and appointing the Sub-Division Officer, Hole-Narsipur Sub-Division as the Acquisition Officer.

(b) Note sent by Mr. B. C. Anantaramiengar, on the subject.

Resolution.—Recorded. The note may be considered at the time of inspection of the road by the President and Vice-President of the District Board and the Executive Engineer. The note will also be sent to the Executive Engineer for making proposals to minimise the cost to be incurred on this road work. In the meanwhile, the Land Acquisition Officer will be requested to postpone the taking of possession of lands in the acquisition cases pending further intimation by the Board.

23. Deputy Commissioner's letter No. O. C. 1219-21, dated 8th July 1924, re the adjustment of Rs. 72-13-1, being the balance of the advance of a sum of Rs. 500 drawn by the Amildar of Arsikere Taluk in February 1909, in connection with the Famine Relief measures.

Resolution.—The Board regret that at this distance of time they cannot take up the liability, as the records are not forthcoming, and prompt steps were not taken to recover the amount from the persons responsible for the same.

24. Executive Engineer's No. 424, dated 30th May 1924, re providing accommodation for the Belur Taluk Board Office.

Resolution.—The Deputy Commissioner may be requested to help the Taluk Board in getting some convenient accommodation in the Taluk Office buildings.

25. Executive Engineer's No. 704, dated 23rd—25th August 1924, requesting to furnish the Board's opinion for preparing the detailed estimate for improving the road between Hirisave and Sravanabelgola and opening a road from Gardasi to Bageshapura Railway Station for which rough projects amounting to Rs. 5,200 and Rs. 6,000 respectively have been got up.

Resolution.—The matter will be referred to the Taluk Boards concerned for their resolution having regard to ways and means of opening the roads and maintaining the same. The Channarayapatna Taluk Board will also consider the question of opening a road from near Jolagatta to Nuggihalli via Bagur and the relative importance of the roads.

26. Executive Engineer's No. 680, dated 16th August 1924, forwarding the revised estimate for sinking a well at Kodihalli in Arsikere Taluk duly estimated for Rs. 992.

Resolution.—The revised estimate is sanctioned.

27. Executive Engineer's letter No. 740, dated 4—5th September 1924, forwarding an estimate amounting to Rs. 195 for repairing the ferryboats at Ramanathapur for the year 1924-25.

Resolution.—The estimate is approved.

28. District Medical Officer's letter No. 4595, dated 23rd June 1924, suggesting that the triplicate forms of daily returns of epidemics may be adopted in the Taluk for reporting the outbreak of epidemics/diseases among human beings, also as is being done in the Veterinary Department.

Resolution.—The proposal is approved.

29. District Medical Officer's Memo No. 420, dated 21st July 1924, forwarding the petition of Manganna, Compounder, employed for special duty under the Special Duty Sub-Assistant Surgeon at Belur, recommending that a special allowance for the period he was on special duty at Belur may be given to him, viz., Rs. 55-15-3 (to cover his travelling allowance) as the same has been disallowed by the Comptroller on the score that travelling allowance is not admissible to him as he is not a ministerial officer.

Resolution.—The recommendation of the District Medical Officer is approved and the cost will be met out of the provision for epidemic charges in the current year's budget.

30. Deputy Commissioner's D. O. No. 116-23—H. C., dated 30th April 1924, forwarding copy of the proceedings of the Committee, appointed to consider the question of having a separate Engineering Establishment for the Hassan District Board.

Resolution.—The matter was discussed at great length in all its details, and the following resolutions were passed:—

(1) A separate Engineering Establishment should be entertained by the Board. Twenty-three persons voted for and 2 (Messrs. Malali Venkataramaiah and S. Venkatesaiya) against.

2. As regards the Officers and staff to be entertained, and the cost thereof, the proposals of the Committee were approved in general. The majority of the Board were, however, in favour of the Officer being one of the status of an Executive Engineer. Fifteen voted for and eight against, Mr. E. W. Rutherford, a member of the Special Committee, after some discussion voting with the majority.

31. District Forest Officer's letter No. 158—Mis., dated 1st September 1924, requesting to contribute an annual grant of Rs. 225 at the rate of Rs. 50 a mile for the up-keep of the road from Salagame to Yelagunda to supplement the departmental grant as the recent heavy rains have caused heavy damage to the road, which also serves several villages in the neighbourhood.

Resolution.—One-half of the cost of repairing this road up to a maximum of Rs. 200 may be paid as a special grant for this year only and the cost will be met out of the provision for special repairs to roads in the current year's budget.

32. Letter No. 361, dated 13th July 1924, from the Assistant Director of Agriculture, Shimoga, requesting to remit the amount of rent due to the Board from that Department for having stored the suna hemp seed in the rest house at Ramanathpur.

Resolution.—The request of the Assistant Director of Agriculture, may be complied with and the rent waived.

33. Question of providing for time scale pay for the Local Board servants.

Resolution.—The question is referred to the Finance Committee for detailed consideration and report.

34. Question of payment of rewards to midwives for labour cases conducted by them within the Municipal areas.

Resolution.—The Hole-Narsipur Town Municipality will be requested to meet the charges as per standing orders on the subject.

The Finance Committee also will go into this question in detail.

35. Opening of toll-gates at frontiers.

Resolution.—Government will be requested to sanction the opening of a toll-gate at the frontier on the Konanur-Frazerpet District Fund road.

36. Review of vital statistics for the half-years ending 31st December 1923 and 30th June 1924.

Resolution.—The review made is adopted and may be forwarded.

37. Mr. Nagappaiah's proposition stating that the maintenance charges for the up-keep of District Fund roads passing through the Arsikere, Hole-Narsipur and Alur Municipal limits may be recovered from the respective Municipalities, as they have been levying fees on carts in the respective shandies.

Resolution.—The Municipalities concerned may be consulted in the matter.

The Municipal Councils of Hole-Narsipur, Arsikere and Alur will be requested to see that fees are not levied on carts not going to shandy grounds, as the existing practice which is brought to notice appears to be unwarranted.

38. Proposition of Messrs. Manjiah and Devegowda, District Board Members, complaining of irregularities re appointments, promotions and transfers of teachers and location and conversion of schools, etc., and proposing that the staff of the office of the District Inspector of Education may be transferred and that all promotions, transfers and appointments of teachers in primary schools may be effected with the approval of the President and Vice-President of the District Board.

The subject evoked a heated debate.

Resolution.—The mover withdrew the proposition on the understanding that he might bring forward a separate proposition about the control of the Primary Education by the District Board.

39. Estimate sanctioned by the President, District Board, in anticipation of Board's approval.

1. Estimate for Rs. 47 for repairing the travellers' bungalow at Hagare.
2. Estimate for Rs. 22 for repairing the travellers' bungalow at Arkalgud.
3. Estimate for sinking a well at Alur, Arehalli hobli, Belur Taluk for Rs. 310.
4. Estimate for Rs. 498 for repairing Channarayapatna-Bagur road up to Gulasinda.
5. Estimate for Rs. 498 for repairing the tunnel and Irish drains, etc., on the same road.

Resolution.—The sanction accorded is approved.

40. Estimate for Rs. 1,700 for sinking a well of 8' diameter attached to the musafir-khana to be constructed at Ramanathpur.

Resolution.—The estimate is approved. Sanction of Government may be obtained, and the work put in hand in anticipation of such sanction. The cost will be met out of Drinking Water Wells Fund at the credit of the Board, the usual contribution being waived as the well is intended for the musafir-khana at Ramanathpur as well as the new extensions at the place.

41. Manjarabad Taluk Board President's Report No. 1005-23, dated nil *re* opening of a shandy near Byagadihalli.

Resolution.—This may be recommended to Government.

42. Manjarabad Taluk Board President's No. 620-23—L. F., dated 20th January 1924, forwarding the report of the Vydyan of the Malnad Improvement, vydyasala at Kenchammana Hoskote about the enhancement of the contingent amount of Rs. 10 and for the entertainment of a peon.

Resolution.—This may be done in respect of all the vydyasalas maintained under the Malnad Improvement Scheme.

43. Manjarabad Taluk Board President's Report No. 200-24, dated 26th August 1924, forwarding the resolution of the Taluk Board *re* the contribution of Rs. 200 to the Flood Relief Fund.

Resolution.—The Taluk Board will be requested to submit proposals for re-appropriation.

44. Belur Taluk Board President's Report No. 842, dated 23rd December 1923, forwarding the resolution of the Board, in the matter of giving a special grant of Rs. 120 out of Taluk Board Funds towards the expenses of medical aid rendered by Mr. Surappa.

Resolution.—The Board appreciate the help rendered by Mr. Surappa to the patients. The Board do not think it desirable to sanction the proposal.

45. Hole-Narsipur Taluk Board President's No. 438, dated 25th June 1924, requesting permission to hold a cattle show at Mavinkere during the car festival and to grant an annual contribution of Rs. 30 from District Funds for the purpose.

Resolution.—The cattle show may be permitted to be held and sanction of Government obtained.

There is sufficient provision in the Taluk Board Budget for cattle shows and jattras and therefore no grant from District Funds is necessary.

46. Hole-Narsipur Taluk Board President's No. 51, dated 11th August 1924, forwarding for sanction a bill for Rs. 11-11-4 being the arrears of pay for seventeen days in January 1922, to one Narasimhaiah, late Local Fund Clerk in Hole-Narsipur Taluk, due to his wife Thirumalamma alias Gundamma.

Resolution.—The bill may be passed.

47. Subjects brought forward for discussion at the Budget sessions of the Representative Assembly 1924. (Local Subjects).

Messrs. Maralusiddappa and Rudrappa of Arsikere Taluk.

(i) *School buildings.*—The Primary School at Arsikere is held in a rented building low and narrow, and unfit for accommodating the 150 or 200 boys attending it. The A.V. School building also is likewise unsuited. Pray that the Primary School be shifted to the latter building and a new one constructed outside the town for the A.V. School.

Resolution.—The Board is of opinion that additional accommodation is very necessary and must be provided early.

(ii) *Police Ookad.*—In view of the fear of thieves to travellers and carts even in day light at the eighth mile on the Huliya road where there is a thick jungle, a Police Ookad may be located at that place.

Resolution.—The road has become unsafe and has considerably interfered with the trade at Arsikere. The request is a reasonable one and may be recommended for immediate compliance.

(iii) *New Halkur hobli.*—The present Kanakatte hobli may be done away with. Halkur being made the headquarters of that hobli as it is centrally situated.

Resolution.—The majority are against the change proposed.

(iv) *Police Range Office.*—The existing Police Sub-Station at Halkur may be raised to a Range Office.

Resolution.—The proposition was withdrawn by the mover Mr. Maralusiddappa. Mr. Rudrappa is absent.

Mr. A. S. Nanjundappa, Alur Sub-taluk.

(v) *Monthly Medical Inspection.*—Medical inspection of children twice a year is necessary.

Resolution.—The subject was withdrawn in view of the recent orders of Government on the subject.

Mr. M. Naganna, Arkalgud Taluk.

(vi) *Anicut across Hemavati river.*—By constructing an anicut across the Hemavati river at Bhartur in the Alur Sub-Taluk, 3,500 acres of dry land will be brought into wet cultivation in the Arkalgud Taluk, profiting both the Government and the raiyats. The lands coming under submerision will not be many on the Coorg side. Requisite lands may therefore be acquired either by grant of compensation or exchange of lands, and the work completed soon. More than the foundation work has already been executed and the remaining portion will not cost much. This is a very important work and requires very early orders.

Mr. Naganna is absent. Mr. A. V. Suryanarayana Setti, District Board Member and Representative Assembly Member, supports this proposition.

Mr. Malali Venkataramaiah, is decidedly against it and urges that the existing breached anicut should be demolished altogether having regard to the annual damages caused by the river to the lands and crops above the anicut.

He draws attention to the proposition standing against the names of himself, Messrs. D. Basavegowda and B. Basavegowda, about the removal of the Kattapur Katte, which is on the agenda and refers to the same anicut.

The subject was discussed at considerable length and the following resolution was recorded:—

Resolution.—The Board is of opinion that the subject may be referred to the Irrigation Department for investigation, as regards the feasibility of the restoration, and the hardship to other villagers on account of silting up of lands higher up. The people of the following 20 villages may also be consulted during the investigation:—

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| 1. Hemmige | 11. Kanagalmane |
| 2. Huskur | 12. Nellulhi |
| 3. Kaganur | 13. Magalu and adjacent villages |
| 4. Siragavara | 14. Saklespur |
| 5. Harihalli | 15. Achangi |
| 6. Biggathur | 16. Malali |
| 7. Kurugalle | 17. Ramanehalli |
| 8. Nidagere | 18. Bykere |
| 9. Bellur | 19. Kerodi |
| 10. Vadur | 20. Hebbasale |

Mr. M. Nanjappa, Kantarajapura, Channarayapatna Taluk.

(vii) *Water supply.*—Difficulty of water supply for drinking and cultivation purposes is often felt keenly in Hassan, Arsikere, Channarayapatna, Tiptur, Gubbi and other taluks. It may be overcome by drawing off water from the Yegachi river by putting up an anicut near Belur. It is prayed that the proposal may be considered.

Resolution.—The mover is absent and the proposition received no support from others.

Mr. M. Naganna, Arkalgud Taluk.

(viii) Establishing an out agency at Arkalgud for Railway Parcels.

The member is absent. Mr. A. V. Suryanarayana Setti, supports it.

Resolution.—This may be referred to the Railway Department for disposal.

48. Subjects brought forward for discussion at the October Session of the Representative Assembly. (Local Subjects).

Mr. M. Nanjappa, Kantarajapura, Channarayapatha Taluk.

(i) *Sravanabelagola Road.*—The Sravanabelagola road leading from Kantarajapura to Mandagere may be taken over to the District Board in the interests of pilgrims, merchants and others visiting Sravanabelagola.

Resolution.—The matter is under consideration. The Mysore District Board may be communicated with in the matter.

Messrs. R. Surappa and B. M. Devegowda of Belur Taluk.

(ii) *Repairs to Bennur Channel.*—Repeated representations have been made by the people of Hosahalli and Rampura in Belur Taluk for the repairs of the channel drawn from Thavinkere in Chikmagalur Taluk. Nearly 500 acres belonging to the above named villages have to be irrigated by this channel. The length of the channel running in Belur Taluk is about 12 mile. There is a rocky bed channel of $\frac{3}{4}$ of a furlong and is a great obstruction to the free passage of water. Much inconvenience and loss are thereby caused to the land owners under the channel.

Steps may kindly be taken to put the channel in an irrigable condition.

Resolution.—The proposal may be recommended for action being taken. The Executive Engineer, has already issued orders to take up the work in the portion lying within the limits of the Hassan District.

Messrs. M. Venkataramaiah, Donegal Basavegowda and Bedchiavalli Basavegowda, Manjarabad Taluk.

- (iii) *Removal of Kattepur Katte.*—On account of the heavy floods in the Hemavati river, the wet lands in the Manjarabad Taluk are being scoured year after year. Such floods are latterly becoming abnormal and the people living in the villages on the borders of the river are in constant fear of danger. The breached katte known as Kattepur katte in the Alur Sub-Taluk is a source of such danger and it is necessary that it should be completely removed.

(*Vide* resolution on Subject No. 54. (vi) *Supra*).

Messrs. K. Ramanna, K. Giddegowda and Bale Venkatasamaiah, Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

- (iv) (a) *English High School for Hole-Narsipur.*—As the Hole-Narsipur Town forms a big trading centre between Channarayana and Arkalgud Taluks, and a convenient place for students, it is necessary that an English High School should be established at Hole-Narsipur.

Messrs. A. V. Suryanarayanasetti and M. Naganna, Arkalgud Taluk.

- (b) An English High School may be opened at Arkalgud.

Proposed by Mr. Ramanna, seconded by Mr. Puttu Rao, that an English High School be opened at Hole-Narsipur.

Proposed by Mr. A. V. Suryanarayanasetti, that an English High School be opened at Arkalgud.

Mr. Kappannagowda, opposes the motion.

The District Inspector of Education also opposes the proposals.

Resolution.—There is no necessity for an English High School either at Hole-Narsipur or at Arkalgud at present.

Mr. A. Narayanaengar, Hassan.

- (v) *Collegiate High School in Hassan.*—The Hassan High School may be converted into a Collegiate High School with Science and Mathematics branch for optional subjects, as promised by the Government some years back.

Mr. Narayanaengar, addressed the Board on the subject.

Resolution.—There are no two opinions in the matter. The Board are strongly of opinion that a Collegiate High School in Hassan is absolutely necessary, and Government should be requested to take immediate steps for raising the standard of the Hassan High School into a Collegiate one.

Next Meeting of the Board—12 Noon, 15th November 1924.

N. S. NANJUNDIAH,
President, District Board.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL BOARDS.

No. L. 2584—Ml. 56-24-64, dated 23rd September 1924.

Under Rule (i) of the Rules for the election of Presidents and Vice-Presidents in Town and Minor Municipal Councils, issued with Notification No. 4999—Ml. 45-18-4, dated the 20th September 1918, the election of Mr. Ranganatha Jois, as Vice-President of the Minor Municipal Council, Gundlupet, Mysore District, is approved.

No. L. 2595—Ml. 56-24-66, dated 23rd September 1924.

Under Section 23 (2) (a) of the Mysore Municipal Regulation, VII of 1906, Mr. Mir Mahomed, Municipal Councillor, is appointed as Vice-President of the Tarikere Town Municipal Council for a further term of one year with effect from 1st October 1924.

By Order,

B. NAGAPPA,

Secretary to Government,
Local and Legislative Departments.